

REMARKS

Claims 1-20 are pending in the application. Claims 1-20 have been subjected to the following restriction requirement:

Group I (claims 1-12) and

Group II (claims 13-20).

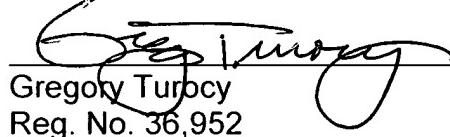
Applicants elect with traverse Group I (claims 1-12) for examination.

Should the Examiner believe that a telephone interview would be helpful to expedite favorable prosecution, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below.

In the event any fees are due in connection with the filing of this document, the Commissioner is authorized to charge those fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-1063.

Respectfully submitted,

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